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1. [ ] Accompanied Mr. Bruce Clarke who, in response to his request, briefed Senator Stuart Symington (D., Mo.) on Soviet strategic missile capabilities to attack U.S. overseas military facilities especially in the Far East. At the Senator's request we were joined by Kathy Nelson, of his staff. Mr. Clarke answered a number of the Senator's questions regarding Soviet strategic air capabilities. The Senator seemed completely satisfied with the briefing.

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2. [ ] Met with Richard Perle, on the staff of the Subcommittee on National Security and International Operations, and Dorothy Fosdick, Staff Director, and, in response to their earlier requests, referred them to the State Department on the questions regarding the Italians providing APC's to Libya; explained the basis of possible confusion regarding a suspected Soviet mobile ICBM; and referred them to Secretary of Commerce Peterson in connection with the significance of Soviet purchases of U.S. wheat.

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3. [ ] Delivered to the offices of Senators George McGovern (D., S. Dak.), Frank Church (D., Idaho), Roman Hruska (R., Nebr.) and Henry M. Jackson (D., Wash.) [ ] in which their names were mentioned. Also delivered to Joan Eigelsbach, in the office of Senator Jacob Javits (R., N. Y.), a 5 September Izvestiya article which she had requested.

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4. (Unclassified - RJK) Picked up from David Martin, on the staff of the Senate Internal Security Subcommittee, the package that he had spoken to Mr. Miller about concerning the testimony to be presented by General Walt (see Journal of 7 September).

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5. [ ] (LLM) Called David Martin, on the staff of the Senate Internal Security Subcommittee, and based upon the advice of [ ] the Khrushchev comment in which he was interested to Tass on 28 June 1942 in English from Europe reporting on a letter from Khrushchev [ ]

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[ ] (See Journal of 7 September.)

I also told Martin that we would try to be as cooperative as possible in providing him comments within his tight deadline on the material he had drawn together for General Walt's testimony (see Journal of 7 September). It was agreed that our comments would relate only to data and not on other content and I relayed to [ ] OGI, and [ ] DDP/ NARCOG, the particular countries which would be covered in the material. We will attempt to deliver our comments on the material by around noon on Monday.

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6. (Unclassified - LLM) Called Dr. Joseph Thach, House Internal Security Committee staff, and told him that we had not been able to identify the statements over North Korea radio in which he was interested (see Journal of 5 September), but that there had been a statement prior to May 1972 by one of the individuals in question, and he said he would like to have a copy of the reference to that statement. In response to my request, Thach said he would send us the times of the broadcasts and frequencies on which they were carried, which will be forwarded to [ ] when received.

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7. (Internal Use Only - JGO) Met with Mr. Herb Hoffman, House Judiciary Committee staff, who told me that there is still no word on the appointment of Senate conferees. He checked with the Senate staff earlier in the day. He will let me know as soon as word is received.

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8. (Internal Use Only - JGO) I talked briefly with Mr. Lou Conein, BNDD, who is scheduled to meet with John Brady and Bob Boyer, House Foreign Affairs Committee staff, on Monday morning concerning material from Alfred W. McCoy's book "The Politics of Heroin in Southeast Asia" which is attributed by the author to an interview with Mr. Conein. This call was in response to several calls by Conein earlier in the day to NARCOG for guidance. I told Conein that Messrs. Brady and Boyer were under a charter from Chairman Morgan to make a firsthand on-the-spot investigation of the various charges in the McCoy book. I told him that he would not find them hostile in any regard and that he should feel free to be as cordial as possible in responding to their queries. [REDACTED] NARCOG, and Osborn, D/S, have been advised. 25X1

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